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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER RULE 1.136**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests an Extension of Time for one (1) month to respond to the outstanding final Office Action dated 14 May 2009. With this Request for Extension of Time being granted, the Applicant shall have to and including 14 September 2009 to respond to the outstanding final Office Action. In fact, an Amendment is being filed concurrently with this Request for Extension of Time.

The Director of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account #18-2011 in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the filing fees associated with this Extension of Time. If there are any further fees necessary in this filing, the Director of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account #18-2011 for such additional charges.

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